

FIGHT FOR EAST SIDE SUBWAY.

Property-Owners Declare Lexington Avenue Line Favors the New York Central Road and Not the Public.

WANT IT IN FIRST AVENUE.

Insist that a Branch There Could Be Built for Less Money and that It Would Accommodate a Greater Number of People.

It is charged that Engineer Parsons, by direction of the Rapid Transit Commission, has purposely benefited the New York Central Railroad by planning the proposed extension of the subway to run through Lexington avenue, where it will connect directly with the tracks of the big corporation.

This accusation is made by a committee of the Real Estate Owners' Association of the Twelfth and Nineteenth Wards. Adolph Block, F. Eberhart, A. Wiggers and A. Peyerl compose the committee. They declare that the interests of the east side have not been properly conserved by the Rapid Transit Commission.

Committees of other real estate associations and kindred organizations interested in the development of the east side are equally pronounced in their views in this respect.

Mr. Wiggers, of the Real Estate Owners' Association, said today: "It is apparent to us that the east side is to be left out in the cold in the matter of rapid transit that the New York Central people may be benefited. The agitation we started for a subway on First avenue, a natural thoroughfare for such a road, has resulted only in one thing—a promise from the Chief Engineer that we would get a road in the future. We fear that the future in this respect is far off."

"A road on First avenue can be built cheaper than one on Lexington avenue because of the natural advantages along the former thoroughfare. We have had the opinions of expert engineers on this score and have filed their reports with the Rapid Transit Commission, but the east side is to be ignored that a wealthy corporation may be profited."

Why They Favor First Avenue. A communication signed by the members of the House and Real Estate Dealers' Association and addressed to the Rapid Transit Commission recites these reasons in support of the First avenue route:

"A subway in First avenue from the Harlem River to Twenty-third street, thence through Avenue A to Houston street and Suffolk street (properly widened), connecting with the Brooklyn Bridge, with a spur to Park Row and City Hall, continuing by Jefferson street to Cherry street, to James slip and Front street, to Whitehall street, tapping all the ferries and subways to Brooklyn, would be an ideal route. It would connect, at a distance of one block, with the ferries at Ninety-ninth, Ninety-second, Seventieth, Forty-second, Thirty-fourth, Twenty-third streets and further downtown, and with the bridges at Fifty-ninth, Delancey, Canal street and Tryon Row."

"First avenue, 100 feet in width, and Suffolk street, widened to 100 feet, offer ample space for a four-track subway and pipe galleries. The construction of which is of great importance to the city and which would be amply remunerative."

"The districts east of the Bowery and Third avenue are over four times more densely populated than those near Elm street and west of Third avenue."

"Rapid transit is especially needed by the masses who live on the east side, in the Bronx district, and by those who use the East River bridges and ferries; it is of vastly more importance to them than to the business men who reside near Lexington avenue or upon the line of the New York Central Railroad."

KILLED UNDER HIS TRUCK.
Driver Pinned Down and Crushed to Death Under Wagon.

George Wisheiser, of No. 304 Starr street, Brooklyn, driver for Aaron Aaronson, of White street and Johnson avenue, was killed to-day being pinned under his truck when it collapsed from a broken axle.

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THE BIG STORE CITY IN ITSELF
SIEGEL COOPER & CO. SHOES.
SIXTH AVE. MEET ME AT THE FOUNTAIN 18th & 19th STS.
The Spring and Summer Shoe Sale Begins Saturday Morning.
IT'S hardly possible to overestimate the scope and importance of this big sale. For weeks we've been making the most ardent preparation, and now we believe we've gathered the greatest lot of good Spring and Summer Shoes that were ever offered the New York public at any such prices.

Prices Average About 1-3 to 1-2 Less than Usual.

Shoes for Men, Women, Boys and Girls. Shoes and Oxfords of all the best leathers and in the newest styles. Thousands of people were making them when you were thinking about Christmas. You must see the Shoes before you can realize what extraordinary bargains they are.

Women's Shoes. These Shoes at 1.95
Women's Oxford Ties. These Oxford Ties at 1.95
Children's Shoes. These Shoes at 85c
Men's Shoes. These Shoes at 1.90

Imported Patent Leather; hand-turned soles; best material and workmanship that can be had; if you paid \$5.00 you could not get any better in this style; all sizes and all widths.

Women's Shoes at 98c. Viol Kid; patent leather tips; lace; all sizes.

Women's Oxford Ties at 98c. Viol Kid; with kid or patent leather tips; very light or medium soles; regular or Oxfords; all sizes; made to retail at \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Women's Oxford Ties, 1.95. A dozen pretty styles in Kidskin and Calfskin; welted or hand-turned soles; all the different shape toes and heels; all sizes and widths in every style; not a pair in this lot at \$1.95 but that were made to sell at \$3.00, and some for even more.

Women's Oxford Ties, 2.50. All the prettiest creations to wear with Easter costumes; all this season's new styles; dressier, lighter and narrower in shape than last season's, but the staple; wider bottomed walking shoes are well represented.

Children's Shoes at 50c. Black Kid; button and lace; spring heels and patent leather tips; hand-turned soles; sizes 3 to 8; also tan and red kid; button and lace; sizes 2 to 6.

Boys' and Youths' Shoes, 98c. Satin Calfskin, with double sole; all sizes, from the little fellows' number 8 to the young men's number 12.

Boys' and Youths' Shoes, 1.25. Box Grain lace shoes; this leather is the best for daily knock-about wear; it keeps color and does not stretch as much as other leathers.

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- Men's \$2 Dress Shirts at \$1
- Men's 10c and 12½c Collars at 5c
- Men's Night Shirts at 35c each, three for \$1
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